

REMARKS

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please enter this preliminary amendment, amending claims 8, 11, and 17-19 as noted. Claim 11 was amended to correct the claim number from which it was intended to depend; claims 8 and 17-19 were amended to insert the word "data" between the words "reproduction" and "storage device" to be consistent with the element as it was termed earlier in the claims. No new matter has been added.

Applicants requests an action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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